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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action, mailed 19 June 2003, in the above identified patent application. A shortened statutory period for response has been set for 3 months, up to and including 19 September 2003. A request for a one-month extension of time and the required fee is included with this response to extend the time for response one month up to and including 19 October 2003.

## IN THE DRAWINGS

The Examiner has apparently required formal drawings in the application prior to allowance. In response to this rather unusual request, applicants have submitted formal drawings to the Chief Draftsman herein in accordance with the present rules.